

REMARKS

This application is in condition for allowance except for the following formal matters:

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1. Claim 27 is objected to because of the following informalities:

Re claim 27: claim 27 is depended on claim 21. However, claim 27 appears to be depended on the claim
10 22. Appropriate clarification is required.

Response:

Claim 27 has been amended as depended on claim 22, as specified in the above AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS.
15 Reconsideration of claim 27 is therefore politely requested.

2. Claims 1 and 22 are objected to because of the following informalities:

20 Re claim 1, line 10: Substitute "to the" with -to the,

Re claim 22, line 12: Substitute "portionof" with -portion of --,

Appropriate correction is required.

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Response:

Claims 1 and 22 have been corrected as the suggestion by the examiner. Reconsideration of claims 1 and 22 are therefore politely requested.

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Sincerely yours,

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